



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : STEVENS  
For : REINFORCED CATHETER DEVICE,  
CATHETER STOCK, AND METHODS AND  
APPARATUS FOR MAKING SAME  
Serial No. : 10/075,053  
Filing Date : February 13, 2002  
Confirmation No. : 8092  
Examiner : Kevin C. Sirmons  
Art Unit : 3763  
Last Office Action : June 4, 2004  
Attorney Docket No. : RSTZ 2 00011-3

REQUEST FOR AMENDMENT TO DRAWINGS

MAIL STOP Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Attn.: Official Draftsman

Dear Sir:

Approval to amend Fig. 4b as illustrated in red in the enclosed drawing sheet is respectfully requested. A duplicate copy of this request is being submitted to the Official Draftsman.

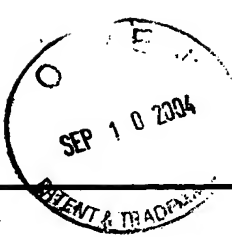
Respectfully submitted,

FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN,  
MINNICH & McKEE, LLP

*Michael E. Hudzinski*

Michael E. Hudzinski  
Reg. No. 34,185  
1100 Superior Avenue  
7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2579  
(216) 861-5582

07 SEP 04  
Date



Certificate of Mailing

Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8, I certify that this Amendment is being

- ☒ deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class mail, addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.
- ☐ transmitted via facsimile in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 on the date indicated below.
- ☐ deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

<b>Express Mail Label No.:</b>
<b>Date</b> <b>September 7, 2004</b>

<b>Signature</b> <i>Barbara Brazier</i>
<b>Printed Name</b> <b>Barbara Brazier</b>

N:\RSTZ\200011\3A\bjb0002247V001.doc